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MARRS, Editor.

ANNOUNCEMENT. We are authorized to announce Mr. Gideon Morgan, as a candidate on the independent ticket, for Judge of the Northern Judicial Grenit

ALL THE NEWS! The Great Political Battle of 1891 is at Hand.

We do not engage merely to furnish an ordinary campaign dent on all the leading questions of | yet full. the day and to throw its influence in of party affiliation.

three standard bearers. Benge, money out per capita. Every of error in the columns of the Tele- fines our system of government, Mayes and Bushyhead, and of the fort should be made though to get phone of May 21st in regard to contains provisions, which, if they lege. candidates for other offices, especially those for the senate and ticle of the treaty of '66 together whom or when taken, and for the have made intrusion difficult, and council, will be faithfully repre- with the immediate removal of benefit of the readers of THE to half the extent we now see it,

principles. Get your neighbors to subscribe! Swell the lists! While orators are on the stump appealing orators are on the stump appealing were afraid of the light. An open, were afraid of the light. -circulate the documents.

THE National, Downing, and third parties are only three different routes to the public crib.

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would it be?

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the head of one of the foremost conglomeration of soreheads and theological schools of the Presby- mugwumps the world ever saw. 81.50 Per Year In Advance. terian church will be received with The dissatisfied element of all poapproval by church people gener- litical parties; some of the most VINITA, IND. TER., JUNE 11, 1891. else denies their inspiration he mental in shaping the policy that which endorses our present system

should be done. The truth of the matter is the World would like the allotment question tabled un-The greatest political battle in til after the August election. The chiefly that the trouble with the your attention to the fact that a the history of the Cherokee na. party for which it speaks being Shawnces, Delawares and freedmen system of frame work of governtion is now opening. Skirmish. being mostly cattlemen and mo- was carried on-trouble which we ment is not to be disapproved or

sheet, solely in the interest of trict have their full tickets in the whether he would be able to steer tives in office, than is the system accepting it I will endeavor to some partisan political party, but to publish all the news. The movements and utterances of all politi. third party and that party will no litical party we have grave doubts. It is only when a system of govern- will pledge myself to work for the cal parties will be reflected from doubt soon have out a ticket of its As before intimated, we believe ment, of medicine, law or religion best interests of the whole Cherocal parties will be reflected from its pages from week to week. As a strong, conservative advocate of a strong, conservative advocate of the senate may now be closed.

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The conservative and our requirements, that it should be and all the time, without regard to race or color, let him be chief who approved or condemned by the repopular rights and reform it will Buffington and Wasbourne will do ward securing a better senate and sults attending it. continue to be fearlessly indepen- us, but for council our slate is not council.

favor of the best men, regardless all political parties are agreed upon it is the immediate sale of the The policy and utterances of the strip lands and the payment of the

captain and secret convention sys- as intruders. tem should be dispensed with as a relic of barbarism.

party, and where! the people wil probably be disuss- failed to secure office, and the fact ing citizen that much of the com- to the old political parties-there ed. At present all seem willing of men quitting their party for mon domain, for the law provides are plenty of good loyal Alliance to present the matter to the people such cause is proof positive that that any citizen may settle as many men left, and a ticket should be by JUDGE BENGE says that the peofor their consideration. There
they don't amount to much, nor improvements as he pleases, and all means put into the field. ple are being educated up to the never was a time in the history of thing, though such is and will alevery direction to a quarter of a allotment idea, and it is only a this nation when so many men ways be the case. Still the rank mile (so that no other citizen is enquestion of time when all will be were undecided as to how to vote and file of the grand old party are croached upon.) in favor of it, and that the full-blood ought not to be expected to be as far advanced on this question as faithful as ever, and, as before thorized the council to make so unjust and ruinous an allotment of coming on Saturday, it was decided that the next stated meeting control to the district to celebrate the far advanced on this question as faithful as ever, and, as before thorized the council to make so unjust and ruinous an allotment of Cherokee lands among Cherokee that the next stated meeting control to make so unjust and ruinous an allotment of the district to celebrate the far advanced on this question as far ad others because he has not had the matters throughout the country. This we matter presented to him fully.

If the Bushyhead men would explain how they secure and hold opoly of improvements. Such pro-EX-SENATOR HENDERSON claims the farmer and the business man. There was an effort made by mythat he was not reported correctly in his great(?) speech at Beck wake up and take a more active would all be Bushyhead men. For fair and equal allotment of all of meeting at Afton, on account of Finest Candles, Could school house on may 28th. He interest in politics we will certain the benefit of your numerous read the domain for the use and occuschool house on may 28th. He interest in politics we will certain the belief of the district, but owing to through the columns of The Chief.

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The almost total neglect of the district, but owing to through the columns of The Chief. vote for the cow law again had he long as this class stay away from TAIN.

Ir the two old parties in Dela. OUR POSITION IN THE CASE, now: There seems to be a great deal of continue to dicker and compromise solicitude in certain quarters in rewith its corrupt leaders, and refuse gard to who THE CHIEFTAIN will to put good men and new men in support for chief during the coming the field, we predict a Waterloo campaign. We wish to say in this for the the third party. We hope they will take advantage of the situation and put the very best men to be found on their tickets. FEW men have expressed them- the election of men to the senate selves more positively and forci- and council who will rise above bly on the allotment question than party and work for the interest of Hon, Gid Morgan. Mr. Morgan's the whole people. We do not care plan is to sectionize and allot on particularly what political party a cash basis, i. e. the man that has they belong to-whether any or not. trict in 1889 if desired.

and capable, and their election is well nigh certain. If a majority of the senate is composed of such men we will have nothing to fear from that body.

It is proper however that I should state that the question of passing the for chief addressed the people, Mr. Bushyhead leading and being followed by Mr. Benge and Chief before, Mayes. In the afternoon the three candidates of the forenoon the three candidates as to the propriety of electing any of them to that important position.

Two of the gentlemen that are in the race have been chief before, from that body.

It is proper however that I should state that the question of passing the fee simple title of the nation to the individual citizen thereof is provided by the Liberal platform of the capable, and their election is as to the propriety of electing any of them to that important position.

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Beck, Dan Suagge, Jesse Starr. lead of the others. But we find be hard to find.

THE deposing of Dr. Briggs from him surrounded by the spottedest MR. BUSHYHEAD'S VIEWS.

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He States his Platform to be Allotment.

DR. M. FRAZEE, Dear Sir:-As ally. The authenticity of the scrip- corrupt men that ever lived in any you rightly surmise in your letter tures is guarded very zealously, country, and it is reasonable to RS, Editor.

M. E. MILFORD, Manager.

and when Dr. Briggs or anyone suppose that they would be instructioned and when Dr. Briggs or anyone suppose that they would be instructioned by the Liberal Party platform places himself on a level with be would inaugurate should be succeptant of government, and upon my recother infidels.

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Country of this nation. THE Vinita World of last week And finally, of the National party ment of the Cherokee domain, in Andy Hyder, wants to know how allotment we have this to say: they have, as every respect tair and just to the

tion is now opening. Skirmishing has already begun. Every-by the news. The bolt must have the news. The body must have the news. The The way to allot is to allot-sec- distant day break forth and des- the officials selected and empow-INDIAN CHIEFTAIN means that tionize and divide. "Equal rights troy us as a nation. As to Judge ered. The latter may carry on the to my fellow citizens and more eseverybody shall have the news. to all; special privileges to none." Benge, personally, we must say the people, or wisely to the hurt of the people, or wisely to their benwe admire him. As an honest, efit. The system is no more re-Now that the National and upright, impartial judge upon the sponsible for the mistakes, igno-Downing parties of Delaware dis- bench he is a grand man. But rance or negligence of the opera-

necessary for me to mention in ex-THE OUTLOOK AT CHELSEA. planation of my hearty approval Joel B. Mayes is my choice of the If there is any one thing that 1889 Figures and a Similar Result of our system of National government, while I as heartly condemn will give him my support I am the manner of its administration in the past in many respects. The EDITOR CHIEFTAIN:-Noticing an Cherokee constitution, which deevery dollar it is worth and also to through your columns to correct it. have secured to each individual secure the abrogation of the 15th ar- The gentleman fails to state by citizen a fair, ample home; would intruders from our midst. This, CHIEFTAIN will state that said ed- utterly impossible, and would have duced in its columns.

Besides being by far the best general newspaper in the Indian territory The Chieffain is the best, fairest and ablest exponent conventions is a bad one.

When the following intruders from our midst. This, will state that said editor (though a great man, with brain sufficient to make at least ten average men, both smart and wealthy), is off his balance badly, which probably can be explained from the fact that he and his party have their thoughts concentrated to the conventions is a bad one.

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INDUSTRIAL UNION made the Cherokee people one of the most wealthy, prosperous and intelligent on earth. Assured wealthy), is off his balance badly, which probably can be explained from the fact that he and his party have their thoughts concentrated the characteristics. have their thoughts concentrated good to the Cherokee people. All President, A H Nuttall, Caddo; Secretary, D s Ivina, Caddo; of progressive and indepennent the delegates to a district conventoo much on their numerous town of this good might have been principles. Get your neighbors to tion get together off in the brush sites, pastures, etc., on the Chero- accomplished by a fair and intelli-

in the cause, you can do something free and fair convention is what and only two Bushyhead men, and is best enabled to grab it, as the the people should demand. If they both white men and anxious law now provides. One citizen, I every voter in the district were to have the country allotted, so understand, owns in your district, present, so much the better. The they can get their share of the thirty-seven excellent improvespoils, before they are ordered out as intruders.

At the last election held here the Downing party had a majority of 76, and I wish to say to the voters. thing, Tom Knight will be our next sheriff of Delaware district.

Take the cattlemen out of the Many faction of the Downware f 76, and I wish to say to the voters | zen the exclusive possessor of at We have a few soreheads in our each citizen. The law of this na- 15 inst. While some of our men Mayes faction of the Downing Every question of vital interest to community, from the fact that they tion as it stands allots to that grasp- are gone back "to their wollow"-

the opportunity. Henderson's greatness(?) shows itself more in defeat than in victory.

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to the common bounties of Proviget just half as much as the man that had \$10 per acre prairie land, and so on.

When the Downing party of Delaware district nominated Ciande Washboure and Judge Burfington for senate, they selected two men that are clean, honest, and capable, and their election is I am aware that a law providing C. Patton & Co.

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Senators.

Judge-T. J. McGhee. Clerk-W. W. Breedlove. Sheriff-Tom Monroe. Solicitor-Jim Crittenden.

CARD FROM MR. WASH-BOURNE.

EDITOR CHIEFTAIN:-If you will allow me the space in your colto my fellow citizens and more especially the Downing party of Delaware district for the honor conferred upon me at the district convention at Echo, by nominating me for the office of senator. In the office of senator, in the office of senator. In the office of senator, in the office of senator, in the office of senator. In the office of senator, in the office of senator. umns I will offer a word of thanks may, for I hold that there is no is-This is all perfectly plain, but sue between our people. But I ecessary for me to mention in exhonest in my views on all public questions am willing to express myself openly, and freely, and allow everyone else the same privi-Yours for progress, C. L. Washbourne.

> Farmers' Alliance, INDUSTRIAL UNION.

COOWEESCOOWEE COUNTY. President, E.A. Warren, Vinita; Vice-President, T.B. Curnett, Eagle, 1.T; Secretary, J.F. Kenworthy, Eagle, Tressurer, Thomas Howle, Vinita; Chaplain, W.F. Thompson, Adalr; Lecturer, J.W. Parker, Adalr.

DELAWARE COUNTY ALLIANCE.

Third Party Condemned.

Delaware district Union No. 6. at its meeting in April, passed a vene on Thursday, the 2nd of July. and that the celebration be held meeting at Afton, on account of J. W. ADAIR,

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A long-fell want supplied at last—a fate count piragant ruster oil. It is known as Cheatham's tasteless asster oil. Uhil.

called to order by Dr. J. T. Davis,
The delegates then drew aside and
proceeded to business, while Judge
R. F. Wyly and R. W. Walker ad,
dressed the people. The following ticket was nominated: Senate,
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WAXTS, FOR SALE, LOST, STRAYED, STOLEN.

[Each notice, of the character indicated, not nacceeding surry women, with he inacted two weeks under this healting for surry cases.] STRAYED-Two coits. One is a dark from erry horse, yearing. The other is a bay; two years old; both kind feet white half way to the knee; left front fact white to feticots; star is forehead. Nelther are branded. Will pay a good reward. Dennis Hicks, Vinits, I.T.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE,

WARNING ORDER. nited States of America, Indian Ferritory sa, Hefore Hen, Chas. H. Mason, U. S. Com-lissioner, First Judicial Division. John Gunter, Pisintiff.

NOTICE. I am authorized to say to the National voters on the west side of the Grand river, there will be held at Afton, on the 29th of this month, a contention for the purpose of putting out more candidates.

Very repectfully.

John E. Dencan.

TAXES NOW DUE.

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The following item, clipped from the Fort Madison (lows) Democrat, contains information well worth remem bering; "Mr. John Reth, of this city who met with an accident a few days ago apraining and bruising his seg and arm quite severely, was cored by one 30c bottle of Chamberlain's pain balm. This remaily is without an equal for sprains and braises and should have a place in every house-hold. For sale by W. C. Patton & Co.

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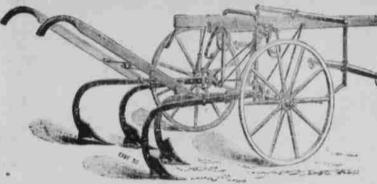
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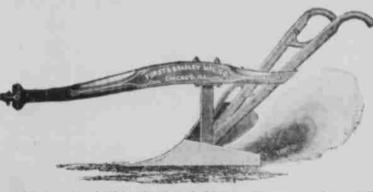
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